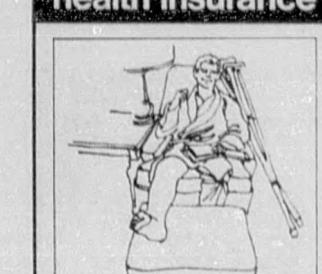




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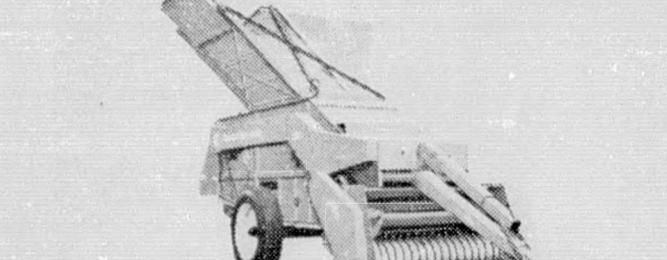


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**Letter To****The Editor**

27 June 1972

Mr. Ferrin Cox  
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Dear Mr. Cox:

Do you suppose that someone might know why Elba City School System needs three pick-up trucks, one 1/2 ton truck and two passenger cars?

There might be a need for one truck. The food for the school must be transported and this would require the periodic use of one pick-up truck. This leaves quite a surplus of vehicles, upkeep and operating expenses which compound the initial cost of the vehicles.

Then, there is always the possibility of misuse of these vehicles. The Senator of Elba is seen using pick-up truck with a municipal tag to deliver a ladder to his home on 20 June at 2:30 p.m. Is this part of his salary agreement to use municipal vehicles and tools for his private use?

It would appear that this might be a misuse of city equipment on two counts. The surplus of vehicles could only cause problems in maintenance areas when used for personal requirements because unused vehicle batteries run down, valves stick, etc. Use for other than school purposes does not constitute misuse. Why do determine a reasonable need and turn in what isn't needed?

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Municipal bond interests are designed to make it easier for states and cities to borrow money cheaply to attract industry and create jobs. Proprietary college and university costs are designed to encourage young people to go to college and depend on loans to help pay tuition.

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The recent gun reform is probably lies deep in the psyche of every human being. However, when the story hit the press, who would or could listen to the rational side of the story?

With the Congress considering tax reform bills, it faces a formidable task. It is impossible to please everyone.

Elba Clipper  
Elba, Alabama

Dear Mr. Cox:

We would like to express our sincere appreciation for the article you wrote in your paper last week. We all feel that you and your staff did a fine job and we would like to commend you. Once again thanks.

Sincerely,  
Stanley K. Kelley, President  
Elba Packing Company, Inc.

**SPARKMAN ANSWERS  
QUESTIONS FROM READERS**

constitutional amendment proposed by Senator Harry Byrd to the Senate Committee on Federal judges? L. T. Jackson

**Sparkman:** Most committees and several others would change the current tenure of Federal judges. Some of the proposals would shorten the term of each judge to a single specified term and others provide for the reconfirmation of Federal judges after specified periods. All of these amendments are now pending before the Constitutional Amendment Subcommittee of the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives.

**Dear Senator Sparkman:** I am greatly concerned about the high costs of property transfers. I am a real estate agent and I feel that you do something to bring about some changes with regard to the high transfer costs. M. C. Montgomery

**Sparkman:** Your case is not unlike those that were uncovered in a study made by the Committee on Small Business over the past two years. As a result of the study, my committee took action and approved legislation which would require the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development to establish a commission to regulate real estate transactions. The purpose of this would be to eliminate any inordinate and unfair fees that you refer to in purchasing property.

**Dear Senator Sparkman:** What is the status of the proposed

I had an interesting talk with former Governor James E. "Big Jim" Folsom this week. He told me about the first governor he remembered . . . Governor Charles Henderson. His first memories were of going to Opelika as a boy with some of his family politicizing for Henderson. "He really thought he was big time and it was only years later that Folsom became a big time figure." He said that Folsom used to open the gates. During those times there were no stock laws in parts of the state and a half dozen farmers in Covington County had fences running across the main road.

**COFFEE NEWS & CHAT**

BY SARA E. HUTCHINSON

**Freezer-To-Table**

Fresher-to-table cooking saves a homemaker time just as it saves juicer and flavor in meat, fish and vegetables.

A frozen roast can be taken from the freezer and cooked immediately in the same heavy aluminum foil in which it was wrapped. The foil holds in the juices and flavor of the meat.

To cook a frozen roast, first preheat your oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit. Then remove the foil-wrapped meat from the freezer and place in a foil-lined roasting pan. Cover the meat loosely with foil to allow heat circulation. Cook the roast for one hour or until tender. During the last half hour of cooking, remove the foil and let the meat brown.

To have a rare roast, cook the meat 40 to 45 minutes per pound; a medium roast, 46 to 52 minutes per pound; and a well-done roast, 54 to 60 minutes per pound. This timetable is for beef steaks, including tenderloin, top round, cross rib or eye of round cooked in an oven at 350 degrees Fahrenheit.

The juices of the meat can be made into gravy by folding up the foil and catching the drippings bottom over a saucepan. Heat the juices, add flour and water and cook until smooth.

Poultry and fish can also be cooked successfully using the freezer-to-table method.

**Money Savers**

The larger cuts or packages of meat can be more savers for you than can use large units of meat without waste. Two-pound packages of sandwich meat cost about 15 cents less per pound than single pounds. But the big money difference is in the price per pound for round steaks, top sirloin steaks or chops from the same cut.

Round steaks cost several cents less per pound than the same meat sliced and packaged. Small packages of chops, sliced quarter-pounds are packages of even fourth pork chop in the loin. There will be some meat and chops as well as some bones.

The slices from a quarter-lb. are as quick to prepare as chops.

A whole or half ham instead of smaller cuts such as end of chuck steaks and rib roasts of beef or shoulder roasts of pork are placed on round steaks or chops. These steaks are other examples of economy cuts.

Frying chicken is more economical when you buy a whole bird. The whole fryer costs less per pound than any individual parts except backs.

**Laundering Tips**

Statistics show the most surprising fact that most women spend more of their time doing laundry (that includes ironing!) than any other house work task, losing a whopping 17 1/2 to 20 percent of waking hours.

Below are some tips to reduce laundry time:

Use hair spray to remove ballpoint pen ink stains from shirts and other clothing items. Spray the ink stain until it is through wet, then let it dry completely and put the article into your washing machine.

Having laundry stains that won't go up in detergent—try getting mayonnaise and salt dressing stains out of your favorite blouse or the child's shirt? Just cut a corner and surprise you, try meat tenderizer! Here's how: First, work dry cleaning fluid into the stain, then allow time for it to evaporate. Then cover the stain with detergent or a paste made of salt and water. Fl

**Blanching**

If cold water is used in washing, it is better to use hot water because it does a better job of killing germs. It also does a better job of washing clothes clean, even with cold-water laundry products, than

does cold water.

**Blanching**

Homemakers who freeze vegetables know that blanching is a critical and necessary step in preparing them.

Blanching is a must for all vegetables to be frozen for more than four weeks. So, it must be done correctly.

Blanching brightens the color of vegetables, helps retain vitamins, shrinks the pro-

**Cutting**

duct making the packing easier from the surface of vegetables.

Blanching also stops the action of enzymes which would otherwise destroy the fresh flavor of vegetables after

four weeks.

Call our county Extension office (347-6095) for information needed on blanching of specific vegetables before freezing.

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